

Appln. No.: 10/032,667

Amdt. dated October 9, 2006

Amendments to the Drawings:

Please amend Figure 6B and Figure 7 as indicated on the attached replacement sheets. Figure 6B is amended to indicate that if more segments exist at step 664, the process returns to step 660, rather than to step 658. Figure 7 is amended to indicate that after step 726, the process proceeds to step 718, rather than to step 720. Marked-up copies of the previous Figures 6B and 7 are attached hereto to indicate the changes made thereto.

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REMARKS

Figures 6B and 7 are amended herewith as noted above. The changes merely correct errors in the formal drawings submitted on April 8, 2002. The Figure 6B as amended reflects the informal Figure 6B submitted with the original application on October 24, 2001. The Figure 7 as amended reflects the informal Figure 7 submitted with the original application. The amended Figures 6B and 7 conform to the associated text in the Specification. Therefore Figures 6B and 7 as amended are supported by the application as originally filed. Because this Amendment introduces no new issues, Applicant requests entry of the Amendment prior to consideration of the appeal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to the deposit account of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Account No. 13-0017.

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Respectfully submitted,

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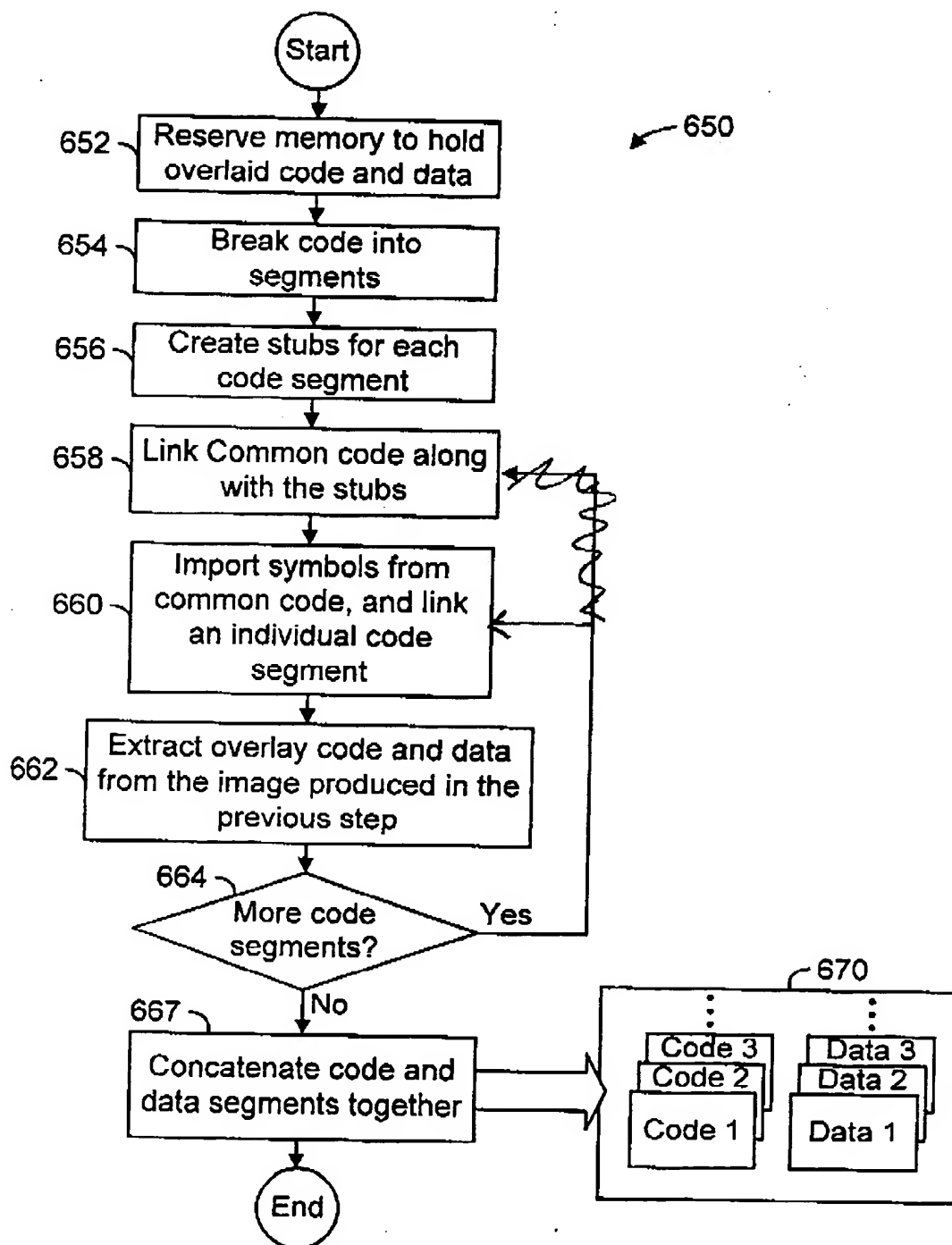


FIG. 6B

Detailed Implementation

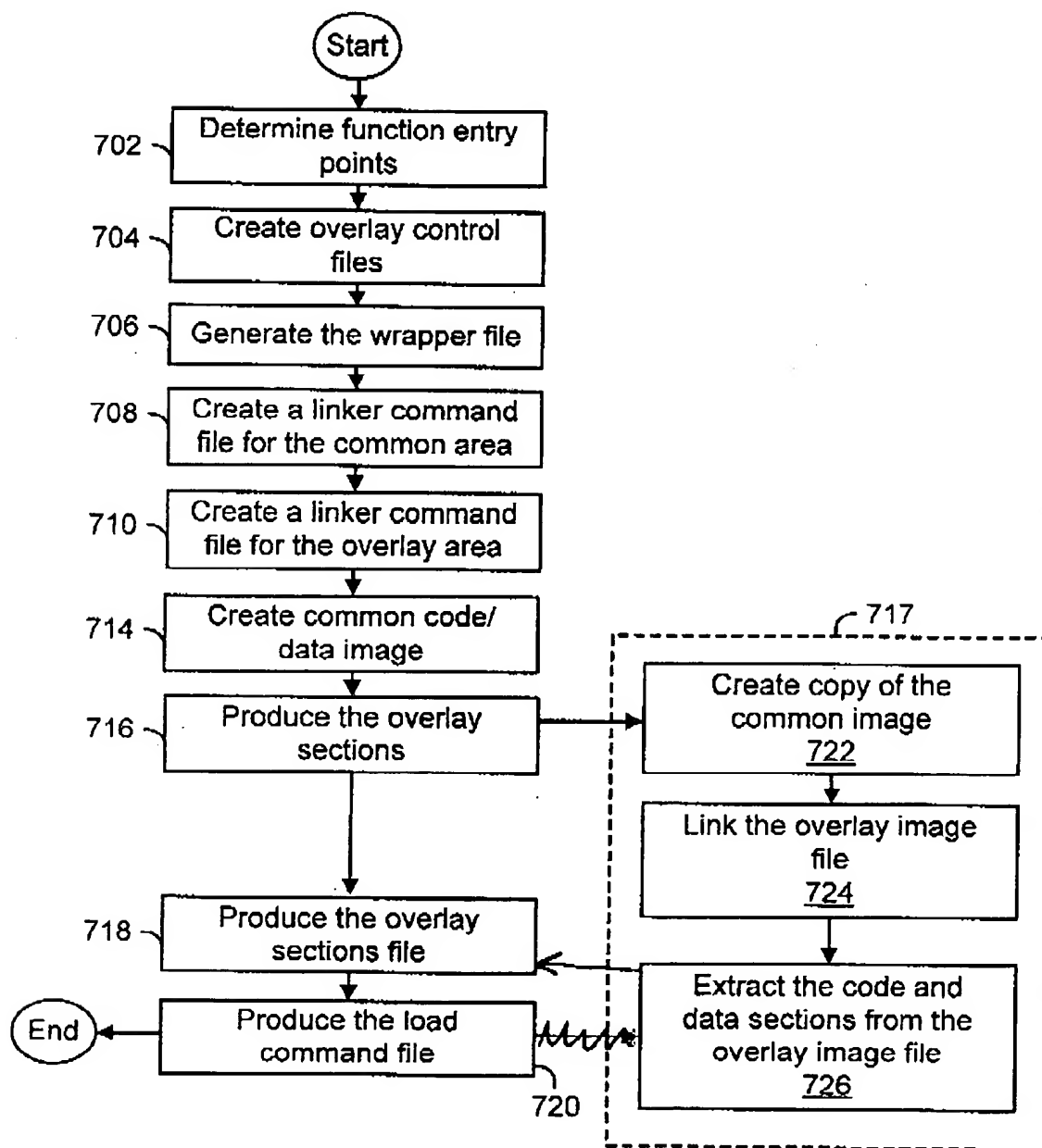


FIG. 7